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FYI,

I think that open sourcing Internet Explorer will be a really bad idea... Why this would allow for hackers to create even more Virus's for PC and in todays days of security risks this would be a disaster for customers and organizations.

It is really interesting to research where hacking comes from and you find out that allot or based on Unix/linux style errors...Open source means that hackers can change to code to break rules and if so this can lead to extreme problems

Is trying to sue/break up Microsoft really a bad thing, look at AOL/Time warner of the years - In sometimes they are worst - Like my parents stuck on AOL because they don't know better... At least Microsoft is not trying control content to make it better for its own companies...

Of course these are my opinions as a costumer and a developer not associated with any of companies evolved.

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